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Re:

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Mon, Jan 7, 2013 at 11:16 AM

To: John Blake <jblake@utah.gov>

John:

I revisited the NOI submitted for this amendment. according to the maps and cross sections provided, the company will not be leaving any pits. in fact it appears that they are only removing a thin veneer of material.

Hope this addresses your concerns.

On Fri, Dec 28, 2012 at 8:39 AM, John Blake <jblake@utah.gov> wrote:

Lynn,

RE: RDCC Project# 37020; Progressive Contracting, LLC. Large Mine Permit Application, Washington County

SITLA desires to comment on the Large Mine application submitted by Progressive Contracting, Inc. to mine limestone and gypsum in the Ft. Pirece Wash area, near St. George, Utah, as follows.

The lands to be mined lie adjacent to lands that are currently subdivided and developed for residential and other commercial uses. The terrain of the lands to be mined is hilly and is slightly elevated above the adjacent developed lands. SITLA requests that the proposed mining operations not be allowed to leave the elevation of the lands to be mined any lower than the surface grade of adjacent developed lands.

No excavation or pits should be allowed that will leave the surface of the mined lands below-grade, or diminish the value of the lands, for after-mine land use of the surface for residential and commercial development. Or, if any below-grade pits are allowed in the course of mining then the reclamation plan should require that all such pits be filled and compacted to the extent necessary to bring the surface back up to the level-grade of the adjacent developed lands.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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